



City of Taunton

FOOD INFORMATION

COVID 19/Coronavirus

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The Star Drive In- Free for kids - Brown bag lunches for Taunton Public School students residing in East Taunton. "Only ask for what you need and leave what you don't for others."

Bristol Elder Services, Inc. – Home Delivered Meals are continuing to be delivered at this time. For those who have been participating in the congregate site meals, a bag lunch is available for pick up with advance notice.

St. Vincent DePaul Food Pantry will be instituting some changes at its pantry. If you are sick, please stay home. Don't come to pantry if you are coughing, have a fever, or have any other symptoms. If you have health issues like diabetes, COPD, cardiac issues or are immune compromised, please stay home. They will accept phone calls from at-risk individuals or individuals experiencing illness and will schedule appointments for pickup of groceries. SVDP does not want anyone coming to the pantry without calling first to get an appointment. Please call 508-823-6676 between 9:00 a.m. and noon, Monday through Friday, to schedule.

Our Daily Bread (ODB) Soup Kitchen – No one is allowed in building.

- 10:30-12:30 – By appointment only boxes for guests who can cook.
- 11:00-12:00 – A hot lunch and bagged lunch are served through side door
- Social Worker Assistance – Filling out forms outside for guests
- Class – Wednesdays 10:00am-11:00am on how to deal with your feelings during crisis
- Handwashing station set up for guests

Pilgrim Congregational Church, 45 Broadway, Taunton –will be distributing bag lunches on Sundays from 11:00 am – 12:00 noon

BROWN BAG program – Up and running since May 27, 2020. For pre-registrants only.

WIC- Encouraging people to utilize telephone or on line appointment. Recertification and certification families will have to make a decision if they want to come in and work with their case manager. Calls can be made to 508-823-6346 with questions about the availability of baby formula.

Taunton Area Community Table (TACT) Meal Center and Food Pantry

The Taunton Area Community Table, located at 378 Bay Street, Taunton is distributing boxes of groceries on the last Thursday of each month between 11:15 AM and 12:30 PM in addition to our regular scheduled meals. Each box contains about 30 pounds of non- perishable food items. There may also be a perishable item or 2 included such as a ham, ground beef, or fresh produce when available. If there is a family or individual in need during the month, please call TacT at 508-386-3807 even if it is not our regularly scheduled distribution day. Everyone is welcome. No questions asked. Masks required. No one should be hungry.

Taunton Boys and Girls Club- Will be providing grab-n-go meals at their clubs from 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm for all children ages 18 & under regardless of membership status. We will provide up to 3 meals per child on Fridays to ensure youth have access to dinners over the weekend. We will provide re-heating instructions when needed, however, most meals will be ‘cold’ and should be refrigerated for up to 24 hours or consumed within 30 minutes. Pick up is on the side of the building at the top of the ramp. Taunton club is located at 31 Court Street. If you would like to listen to the automated message, you can call the Taunton Club at 508-824-4341.

North Taunton Baptist Church - Food Pantry Hours: Open every Saturday 7:00am to 11:00am. You will require a license and a bill with your address listed. 1940 Bay Street Taunton, MA. You may call 508-822-1941